

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the abstract as follows:

A disk drive arrangement [(5)] is provided for use in a disk drive enclosure having a number of such arrangements. The enclosure is arranged to provide enclosure services to the arrangement [(5)]. Each arrangement [(5)] includes a disk drive [(10)] and an adapter [(14)] coupled between the disk drive [(10)] and a serial data connection 40 to a serial bus of the enclosure. The adapter includes serial to non-serial circuitry [(30)], such that the interface is coupled non-serially [(15, 35)] to the disk drive [(10)] and serially [(40)] to the bus. The bus is connected to an enclosure services processor in the enclosure. In this way enclosure services data may be exchanged between the processor and each arrangement [(5)] of the enclosure, thus providing enclosure services to each disk drive [(10)] of the enclosure with a serial bus.